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## SUMMARY.

The Allied successes on the Western front continue, and progress has also been made in Macedonia and Palestine.

The advance between Ypres and Dixmude has reached a depth of four miles, and yielded good prisoners.

Sir Douglas Haig reports that a battle is proceeding fiercely along the whole front from Etaples to the Scarpe.

The British have taken over 18,000 prisoners since last Friday morning.

The fall of Cambrai and St. Quentin is evidently anticipated within the next few days.

An American communiqué states that our attack continues successfully, but have not yet captured any important strongholds.

The Australians and Americans have been attacking the main Hindenburg line since daylight on Sunday.

The Americans in the first stage advanced under an immense smoke屏前 a front of 6,000 yards between Le Cateau and Bellicourt.

It is reported that several strong positions and towns have been captured, including Le Cateau, Bellicourt, and Nauroy.

It is reported that the New Zealanders took over a thousand Prussians at Le Vauquois.

There are indications the enemy is retiring from the Chemin-des-Dames. The French have captured the highest ridge.

King Albert is an address to Belgian troops said: "The hour of victory, the German army is retreating everywhere."

A British order of the day refers to the heroism of the Second Battalion of Devonshire, all of whom died fighting.

An official message reports further progress, in which it is stated that there have been to the Arabs, has been made in Palestine.

Up to the evening of September 27, 50,000 Turkish prisoners and 255 guns had been captured.

The Germans, in their official report, admit the Belgian advance, but say they hold Wytschaete.

They also state they withdrew west of Cambrai and in the Argonne, and that the Americans have pressed them back.

Three members of the Bulgarian Parliament have arrived at Salonic to negotiate an armistice.

The German Press declares that M. Malinoff approached the Entente before the offensive began.

The "Local Answerer," in discussing the situation in Bulgaria, says that a most anxious time for Germany has come.

There is, in the paper adds, still a hope that pro-German elements will be victorious, but the opposite possibility must be reckoned with.

"Answers" says: "The German people must retain faith in order to win a war of defence."

The paper urges the Government to secure peace as soon as possible.

Important developments are expected to occur at Turin where a conference is to be held to discuss the question of an armistice.

Several travellers from Berlin report that serious riots have occurred there. The people are feverishly demanding peace.

The steamer Tasmania, formerly in the Dutch Packet service, has been torpedoed in European waters.

American ships have constructed 1,650,000 gross tons of shipping for the 12 months ended September 30.

About 1900 Englishmen and 20 French citizens have been imprisoned in St. Petersburg by the Bolsheviks.

The members of the overseas Press delegation have returned to London from a visit to Ireland.

The members of the French Mission will return to Sydney this morning from Queensland.

Mr. Justice Higgins stated yesterday there was a great deal of misconception as to the decision concerning the Arbitration Court.

The decision in no way interfered with the powers of the Court to make compulsory awards as before.

Archbishop Wright, addressing the Anglican Synod yesterday, said there could be no party to the cause.

The Church's attitude should not be inconsistent with the best aspirations of the industrial classes.

Religious instruction in the Public schools must be organized more fully.

The Australian General Assembly has adopted the proposed basis of policy and doctrine for church union.

A strike of engine-drivers has occurred on the East-West railway.

The buoyancy of New South Wales revenue is being maintained.

For the quarter ended September 30 the increase over the same period last year was £1,170,657.

The bill to provide for increased postage will be introduced in the Federal Parliament this week.

In regard to unions which ignore the strike ballot provisions of the Arbitration Act will shortly be announced.

Work in connection with the wool-top industry is about to be restarted.

Madrasome Souiran gave an address on war work to the Wool-top Association.

The Minister for Labour was asked yesterday to bring all public servants within the scope of the Arbitration Act.

The request was made by the Commonwealth and State Public Service Confederation.

Mr. Beatty, in reply, said the matter was receiving careful and grave consideration.

The whole of the Public Service was under review, and he had in mind the creation of a special tribunal.

The annual conference of the Health Inspection Service of New South Wales was opened at the Southern Cross Hotel yesterday.

Sir Walter Davidson, who opened the conference, said he was much impressed with the improvements during the last 30 years.

The Minister for Health (Mr. Fitzgerald) said inspectors were hampered by many strictions in their work.

The president of the society emphasized the point that the housing conditions in many localities were most unsatisfactory.

The annual interstate conference of the Commonwealth Public Service Clerical Association opened in Sydney yesterday.

A strike of engine-drivers, for a lecture before the Health Society last night, said that the average person ate too much.

A number of invalid soldiers will arrive in Sydney on Thursday.

In New South Wales last week 260 recruits were accepted.

It is proposed to raise the retail price of tobacco a halfpenny per ounce if authority to do so can be obtained.

A firm of manufacturing jewellers in Kent-street, Sydney, was robbed of £700 worth of jewellery during the week.

Marie J. Doyle, aged 25, at the Central Post Office, yesterday, for having unlawfully used the title of "doctor."

Trouble has arisen at the South Bulli mine, and men are idle.

An interstate conference regarding the Murray River agreement is being held in Melbourne.

A moderate turnover was effected in investment scrip on the Stock Exchange, but prices were inclined to display some variation.

Dealing in mining shares was conducted on quiet but sound lines, with Barrister stocks figuring prominently at enhanced rates.

Heavy supplies of butter were available yesterday, and bacon scarce.

Competition for sheep at Homebush yesterday was irregular, and the market showed an easier tone.

The cattle market was strong, but without material alteration in values.

Forecast.—Except for some showers on the north and south coasts, the weather will be distinguished next week generally, with mild day and cold night temperatures. Some frost and fog in eastern districts. Increased tem-

peratures and cloud developing in scattered places.

FARMER'S,  
SYDNEY.  
TO THE  
HONOURABLE  
HOUSE OF  
COMMONS.

Ninety-seven.

EIGHT WAYS OF  
BRIGHTENING THE  
SUMMER FROCKS AND COSTUMES.EXAMPLES OF THE NEWEST  
FRONT AND WAISTCOAT  
EFFECTS AT FARMERS'.TO THE HONOURABLE  
HOUSE OF COMMONS.MUNICIPAL, HAMILTON, AND COMPANY,  
Agents of Farmers' Sydney.

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## SHIPPING.

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ROYAL MAIL STRAMERS,  
SYDNEY TO COLOMBO AND BOMBAY, VIA SINGA-  
PURA IN CONJUNCTION WITH HENRY BURKE, PHILIP,  
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BUY AND LOAN BONDS.MACDONALD, HAMILTON, AND COMPANY,  
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SANDAKAN, MANILA, AND HONGKONG,  
via QUEENSLAND PORTS AND THURSDAY ISLAND.S.S. CHANGSHA, Sailing 16th October.  
S.S. TAITUAN, Sailing 30th November.  
S.S. CHANGSHA, Sailing 20th December.For full particulars apply to  
G. E. YULE AND CO., LTD.,  
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SYDNEY TO ENGLAND.

THE ALL-RED ROUTE.

THE "ALL-RED" ROUTE  
ROYAL MAIL LINE.

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UNITED STATESTHE "ALL-RED" ROUTE  
ROYAL MAIL LINE.TO VANCOUVER, VIA  
ADELAIDE, CALIFORNIA (U.S.A.)  
HONOLULU (HAWAII).

NEXT SAILINGS.

S.S. VICTORIA, 18th October.  
18,000 tons.

OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

UNION S.S. CO. OF N.E. LTD., 100 Geppetree,

UNION LINE.

FROM SYDNEY TO AUCKLAND (Carry only).—S.S.  
TARAWERA, THURSDAY, October 16th.FROM SYDNEY TO WELLINGTON (Transhipping to  
Tourist Liner).—S.S. VICTORIA, 18th October.  
18,000 tons.BURNS, PHILIP, AND COMPANY, LIMITED,  
9 Pitt-street, Sydney.LINEN WEFT CLUNY LACES,  
WITH INSERTIONS TO MATCH.Linen Weft Cluny lace, as this name implies,  
is designed and woven to good service, and the fact of their being machine-made使  
insertions quoted in each group patch the  
lace to household. Household Linen and  
linen lace, new designs.AMERICAN TRADING COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA,  
Agents of Adelphi, Melbourne, and Brisbane.

AND ADRIATIC LINEN.

S.S. CLUNY LACE, 14th October.

BURNS, PHILIP, AND COMPANY, LIMITED,  
9 Pitt-street, Sydney.

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FROM SYDNEY TO LAUNCESTON.—S.S. LOCH  
GOONAH, MONDAY, 18th October.BURNS, PHILIP, AND COMPANY, LIMITED,  
9 Pitt-street, Sydney.

INTERSTATE COMMITTEE.

INTERSTATE SHIPMENT SAILORS  
(Cheviotness Permitting.)

FOR MELBOURNE.

(Transhipping for Geelong and other Victorian Ports.)

Steamer. Line st. A.T.N.C. Co. Ltd.  
(Tel. 18864).

5 p.m.

RUMBALDA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).BURNHAW, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).COMMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).

ADELAIDE.

(Transhipping to South Australian Gulf Ports)

AND FREMANTLE.

(Transhipping to Perth, Albany, Geraldton,  
and North-West Port.)

PORT PIRIE.

BURNS, PHILIP, AND COMPANY, LTD.,  
100 Geppetree, Pitt-street.

FOR BRISBANE.

(Transhipping to Maryborough, Bendigo, and  
Geelong.)COOMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).COTON, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).CHULLAGOE, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).GAID, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).MORIALTA, Grafton. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).WODONGA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).BUNINYONG, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).COTON, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).

FOR PORT ALMA, MACKAY, BOWEN.

COOMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).COOMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).

FOR TOWNSVILLE AND CAIRNS.

COOMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).COOMA, King-st. Australian Steamship  
Co., Ltd. (Tel. 2121).</



THE COURTS AND OTHER ARBITRATION.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

To all Employers and Employees engaged in the service of State or Local Government, and in the service of public and private companies, and in the service of the Commonwealth.

TAX NOTICE that the application by the FEDERATED MILLERS AND MILKERS' UNION, BRISBANE, to the Commissioner of Taxation, for a tax credit of 10s. on the clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 11th day of October, 1918, is rejected.

TAX NOTICE that you may file any objections to the application by the FEDERATED MILLERS AND MILKERS' UNION, BRISBANE, for a tax credit of 10s. on the clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 11th day of October, 1918, and may be heard before the said Court in support of your application for any award.

The application is for a new award using the old award, because the new award does not cover the same period of time as the old award.

A full copy of the application may be inspected at the office of the Commissioner of Taxation, 100 Pitt-street, Sydney.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1918.

E. W. KITCHING, Industrial Registrar.

SYDNEY FEATURES LIMITED.

NOTICE.

VEHICULAR FERRY.

DAWS POINT-ELIJAH'S POINT SERVICE.

This service will be resumed on from WEDNESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, next.

MILTON'S POINT-MACQUARIE SERVICE.

During Respite to roadway, Alfred-street, Milton's Point, should be used.

TRAFFIC should be kept to the right.

BY ORDER.

26th September, 1918.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, LIMITED, HUNTER-STREET, SYDNEY.

It is the intention of this Society to open after the 1st day of November next to the public under the name of FRANCIS JOSEPH BUTLER, which is declared to have been born at Sydney, 1st day of October, 1918.

GEORGE CROWLEY, Managing Director.

J. GOLDBECK, 137 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

Phone, City 196.

QUINN LOAN ADVISER. Established 1895.

Lends Money on all kinds of Security,

ALONE OR IN PART, for 6 months.

£100 Lend for £2, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£200 Lend for £4, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£300 Lend for £6, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£400 Lend for £8, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£500 Lend for £10, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£600 Lend for £12, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£700 Lend for £14, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£800 Lend for £16, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£900 Lend for £18, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£1000 Lend for £20, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£1200 Lend for £24, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£1400 Lend for £28, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£1600 Lend for £32, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£1800 Lend for £36, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£2000 Lend for £40, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£2200 Lend for £44, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£2400 Lend for £48, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£2600 Lend for £52, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£2800 Lend for £56, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£3000 Lend for £60, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£3200 Lend for £64, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£3400 Lend for £68, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£3600 Lend for £72, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£3800 Lend for £76, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£4000 Lend for £80, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£4200 Lend for £84, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£4400 Lend for £88, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£4600 Lend for £92, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£4800 Lend for £96, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£5000 Lend for £100, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£5200 Lend for £104, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£5400 Lend for £108, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£5600 Lend for £112, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£5800 Lend for £116, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£6000 Lend for £120, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£6200 Lend for £124, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£6400 Lend for £128, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£6600 Lend for £132, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£6800 Lend for £136, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£7000 Lend for £140, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£7200 Lend for £144, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£7400 Lend for £148, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£7600 Lend for £152, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£7800 Lend for £156, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£8000 Lend for £160, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£8200 Lend for £164, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£8400 Lend for £168, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£8600 Lend for £172, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£8800 Lend for £176, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£9000 Lend for £180, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£9200 Lend for £184, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£9400 Lend for £188, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£9600 Lend for £192, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£9800 Lend for £196, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£10000 Lend for £200, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£10200 Lend for £204, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£10400 Lend for £208, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£10600 Lend for £212, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£10800 Lend for £216, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£11000 Lend for £220, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£11200 Lend for £224, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£11400 Lend for £228, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£11600 Lend for £232, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£11800 Lend for £236, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£12000 Lend for £240, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£12200 Lend for £244, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£12400 Lend for £248, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£12600 Lend for £252, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£12800 Lend for £256, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£13000 Lend for £260, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£13200 Lend for £264, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£13400 Lend for £268, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£13600 Lend for £272, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£13800 Lend for £276, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£14000 Lend for £280, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£14200 Lend for £284, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£14400 Lend for £288, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£14600 Lend for £292, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£14800 Lend for £296, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£15000 Lend for £300, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£15200 Lend for £304, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£15400 Lend for £308, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£15600 Lend for £312, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£15800 Lend for £316, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£16000 Lend for £320, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£16200 Lend for £324, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£16400 Lend for £328, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£16600 Lend for £332, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£16800 Lend for £336, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£17000 Lend for £340, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£17200 Lend for £344, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£17400 Lend for £348, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£17600 Lend for £352, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£17800 Lend for £356, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£18000 Lend for £360, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£18200 Lend for £364, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£18400 Lend for £368, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£18600 Lend for £372, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£18800 Lend for £376, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£19000 Lend for £380, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£19200 Lend for £384, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£19400 Lend for £388, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£19600 Lend for £392, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£19800 Lend for £396, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£20000 Lend for £400, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£20200 Lend for £404, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£20400 Lend for £408, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.

£20600 Lend for £412, payable 6 weeks, for 12 months.









## RECRUITING.

In new South Wales last week 240 men were accepted.

To-day troops from Liverpool camp, now in the Burwood district, will march to St. Leonards at 4 p.m., then will march through the streets, arriving at the council chambers at 5.30 p.m., and then disperse for tea. The troops will fall in at the council chambers at 7.30 p.m., have a torchlight procession from the council chambers to the railway, returning via Elizabeth-street, and arriving back at 8 p.m., recruiting rally at Liverpool dock at 8 p.m.

Mrs. A. Stanley Farbrother, Island representative of Mr. W. Gardner and Co., London, has been engaged on the eve of his enlistment for military service abroad. Mr. Farbrother has since joined the A.I.F., and has been transferred to the infantry to the army.

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**MINERS REFUSE WORK.**

**TROUBLE AT BELLAMBY.**

**BELLAMBY.** Monday.

Owing to an increase in the number of special places from 6 to 10 that were included in the civil last Thursday, the Bellamby miners refused to work, and struck. The men of the new Miners' Union, however, drew the civil, which is not recognised by the majority of the miners on their behalf—

Mr. Shand: Have you received any com-

plaints from the Crown?—No; I received a

wire from the Goldsmiths and Sculps

and Silver warden he was not concerned with politics, or what use politicians might make of them, and the contents came into their possession.

The only thing the warden can do is to stand over, so that a tribunal might determine the question with a fortnight, before the miners would be brought before the Department of Labour. Five hundred men in this colliery are idle.

**TANK FOR SYDNEY.**

**TEN GUINEAS A RIDE.**

**MELBOURNE.** Monday.

The tank which arrived a few weeks ago from England left for Sydney to-day. It has been decided to charge five shillings for the services of the tank, and for a ride in the tank. The receipts will be given to the Red Cross Society.

**PUBLIC SERVICE CLERKS.**

**INTERSTATE CONFERENCE.**

The annual conference of the Australian Commonwealth Public Service Clerical Association was opened yesterday morning at the Post Office-chambers. Delegates from all the states were present.

Mr. J. Carroll (general president) said that a regulation by means of which it was alleged the Government granted allowances to clerks who were not members of the Public Service organisation registered under the Commonwealth Arbitration Act, was aimed at the life of the association.

Mr. J. Carroll (of the Victorian branch) said that the association should let the Government know what was going on in the Public Service of country.

Mr. Carroll pointed out that when the Prime Minister made his speech before the Commons he said that there would be no interference with legislation which had been passed by the House of Assembly.

The annual report of the executive council referred to the rights of officers on active service, and the fact that they were not before the Acting Commissioner by a deputation from the conference, and the assurance was secured from Mr. Edwards that the rights of officers on active service were safeguarded in connection with promotions made during their absence.

It was decided to have branches to be formed in every state where it was alleged that officers on active service had been passed over in promotion.

**THE WAR TAXES.**

**MELBOURNE.** Monday.

Bills to provide for the war taxes were introduced by a halfpenny on letters, letter-cards, post-cards, newspapers, and packets, and an increase in the entertainment tax of one penny on meals, and a tax of one cent on tobacco will be introduced to the Federal Parliament this week. The bill to provide for compulsory subscription loans will not be brought before the House till next week.

The Chief Prices Commissioner, Mr. P. Whitton, stated that, contrary to expectations, the bill to provide for compulsory subscription loans will not be brought to-night, but that the order would be issued to-morrow.

An internal message of hotelkeepers to-day the new excise duties were discussed. It was decided that the retail price of ale of one will be 4d. instead of 3d., and bottle of stout, and lager, 10d. instead of 9d.

**BAPTIST UNION.**

The annual assembly of the Baptist Union of New South Wales was continued yesterday. Senior Chaplain W. C. Black, presiding.

A report of the church house committee, which was received, stated that the proposals endorsed by the assembly last year, and dealing with the erection of a new church hall on the site of the old, were accepted by the Baptist Church, had been delayed by the action of the Bathurst-street Church authorities, who had imposed certain conditions, and that the hall would not be erected until the resolution was carried directing further negotiations with the Bathurst-street Church, and a committee was appointed to further that object.

The assembly appointed the Rev. James Parker to be preacher for next year.

An invitation to hold the half-yearly meet-

ing night, the annual demonstration of the "y" School was held in the North Sydney Town Hall to-morrow night, for arrangements for Jack's Day in North Sydney, the Mayor of North Sydney will pre-

**MOTOR FATALITY.**

**NEWCASTLE.** Monday.

A fatal motor accident occurred this afternoon at Winter's Creek about three miles from Charlestown. The occupant of the car, and Herbert Arthur Gillian, a traveller employed by the Vacuum Oil Company, had been driving, Mrs. Quinlan, son, his mother, and Novella, his wife, had been carried, and dropped about 5ft into the bed of the creek, pinning the passengers beneath it. Gillian died before arrival at the hospital, and Biscoe was admitted in a critical condition.

**CHARGES OF FRAUD.**

At the Central Police Court yesterday Mr. McFarlane, solicitor, was called in to give evidence for the prosecution in the case against Leslie Lague (dealer), William Chester (dealer) and Roy Sylvester Keane (agent). It was charged that they had conspired to defraud S. Staudigl and Co. of tobacco, pipes, cigarette holders, and tobacco pouches, valued at £190. The three accused were committed for trial. Bail was allowed.

**RIVER MURRAY AGREEMENT.**

**MELBOURNE.** Monday.

A conference of Ministers representing the Commonwealth and New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia was held on Saturday, and the administration of matters arising out of the River Murray agreement, the provision of water for use in the construction of dams, and other subjects, were discussed.

The constructing authorities are engaged in the preparation of designs for the works contemplated under the agreement, and it will be some time before the schemes are available for consideration.

**DESPERATE CRIMINAL.**

**PERTH.** Monday.

An aboriginal Alfred Jackson, who recently recurred to another native prisoner on Rottnest Island, was found dead at the Small Arms factory, Fremantle Gaol on Friday. Jackson, who is serving a life sentence, bolted out of the tailoring division, where he was working, and doubled into the parade ground, where two warders met and closed with him. He battered his head on the hard floor, and was being overpowered and handcuffed.

**UNION AND A BONUS.**

**LITHgow.** Monday.

It is understood, in connection with the issue to soldiers for the payment of the bonus, that a legal action is in progress, and that the court will have hearing treated any model case, said he thought he had the right to call himself doctor in his practice as an optician, having graduated in optics at Amiens. A fine of £25 was imposed.

**A MAJOR'S DEATH.**

At the City Coroner's Court yesterday Mr. H. S. Hawkins held an inquest on Major J. Doyle, who was found shot in his chambers in Elizabeth-street on September 29, and died on October 1. His widow, Mrs. Doyle, said her husband had been suffering from ill-health lately. A verdict of suicide was recorded.

**SOLDIERS ON "Q" LIST.**

Invalid soldiers on list "Q" will arrive on Thursday.

## L.W.W. INQUIRY.

At the continuation yesterday of the inquiry into the conduct of the police in connection with the I.W.W. fire cases in 1916, Detective Stuart Robson was examined as to the date of the raid of the I.W.W. rooms on September 23.

In objecting to the admission of a letter which had been written by Reeve, Mr. Windsey said he proposed to urge at a later stage that the evidence had disclosed facts that threw great doubt on the reliability of the witness in the I.W.W. trials. His Honor admitted the evidence as evidence on the ground that it might have a tendency to corroborate the I.W.W. trials.

Detective Robson continued that there was no truth in Fagan's statement that witness put "doubt into his portmanteau." At that stage he said he would fight Superintendent Walker for promotion; he was not due for promotion until 12 years had gone by. If only half the cards were returned there would be sufficient recruits to meet the town's quota for the six months.

A representative gathering of delegates in the Calare electorate recruiting area met at the Town-hall yesterday, and decided that the quota would be met. The following will act as chairman—Orange, the Mayor, Alderman Bouffier; Cowra, the Mayor, Alderman E. Shattock; Condobolin, the Mayor, Alderman W. Betts; Condobolin, Mr. D. H. Pace; Wellington,shire president, Mr. Fuller.

**MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.**

## STOCKS AND SHARES.

A major shareholders' meeting was effected in Investors' Stock Exchange yesterday, but prices displayed as element of irregularity. War Loan 5 per cent. Bonds advanced to £100/2/-.

Variations on late rates were:

**BRITISH.**

**AMERICAN.**

**INDIAN.**

**COLONIAL.**

**ANGLICAN.**

**SYDNEY.**

**NEWCASTLE.**

**ADLAIRIA RUBBER COMPANY.**

The report of the above company covers the year ended June 30, 1918. A net profit of £30,872 was made, and a dividend of 2/- per share was paid in March, so that with £25,000 available. An appropriation of £10,000 was made for the purchase of up to 120 per cent. of the machinery and plant reserve, £1,000 to the furniture, general reserve is £23,882, and the machinery and furniture reserves with the appropriations and dividends are £10,000.

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**MID-DAY COMMERCIAL LECTURE.**

The next mid-day commercial lecture, under the auspices of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce, will be given in the King's Hall, tomorrow, at 1.30 p.m., by Mr. R. G. Teece, A.M.A. The subject is "Law in relation to Commerce."

**INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.**

Closing quotations were:

**STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.**

Shares paid up

Last Dividend per share

Price

Yield to Investor

**STOCKS.**

**SHIPPING.**

**COMMODITIES.**

**EXCHANGES.**

**INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.**

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## REAL ESTATE AUCTION SALES.

**Order** of Sale  
**SHARES AND BUREAUX PROPERTIES** for Auction sale, at the rooms, OCEAN ROOMS, 20 MOORE-STREET, TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1918.  
**SHARES CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY** of N.S.W.  
**SAVENDER**, PAY-SPLENDS, BUILDING SITE, WALKER-STREET.  
**SIMPLY LODGE**-DETACHED RESIDENCE, BAY-VIEW, NO. 50 WIGRAM-ROAD.  
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